

# FOOD PURCHASE REPORT

United States  
Department of  
Agriculture

Agricultural  
Marketing  
Service

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DATE: May 25, 2006

BUYS: Purchase of Frozen Sliced Apricots

The Department of Agriculture (USDA) purchased frozen sliced apricots for distribution to Child Nutrition and other related domestic food assistance programs for fiscal year 2006.

Product, quantity, pounds and program cost consist of the following:

Product	No. of Cases	Pounds	Total Cost
Frozen Sliced Apricots, 20 lb.	9,500	190,000	\$147,345.00

The purchase is the result of offers received in response to USDA's purchase Announcement FV301, Invitation 029 of May 2, 2006. The products were purchased on a delivered-to-destination basis. Deliveries are to be made from August 1, 2006 to November 15, 2006.

Unawarded: A total of 17,100 cases of apricots were rejected due to high prices. They may be purchased in the near future.

Further information can be obtained from the Commodity Procurement Branch, Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Agricultural Marketing Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Room 2548-South Building, Washington, DC 20090-6456, telephone (202) 720-4517 or our Internet Site: <http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp>

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ANNOUNCEMENT : FV301  
 COMM GROUP : FRUIT, FROZEN  
 INVITATION : 029

COMMODITY TYPE : APRICOTS, SLICED, FROZEN  
 PACK SIZE : 20 LB BOX

CONTRACTOR NAME: V. J. CATALANO, INC.  
 PLANT ADDRESS : WATSONVILLE CA

ITEM NUM	----DESTINATION---- CITY ST	QUANTITY ( CSE )	PRICE PER ( CSE )
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001	ELK RAPIDS MI	3,800	\$ 16.1000
002	POMONA CA	1,900	\$ 14.2400
003	ELK RAPIDS MI	1,900	\$ 16.3000
007	LOS ANGELES CA	950	\$ 14.6600
	POMONA CA	950	\$ 14.6600

TOTAL AWARDED: 9,500